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In Re: U.S. Patent Application of Emily F. HAMILTON et al.
Application No.: 10/698,232 Group Art Unit: 3762
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For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IDENTIFYING HEART RATE
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 1, 2006, kindly amend the application as follows and reconsider the application 11/02/2006 MBIZINES 00000031 10698232
01 FC:2252 225.00 DA in light of the remarks presented herein.

A petition for extension of time is being submitted concurrently herewith, as is a Petition to Request Exclusion of Prior Art under 35 U.S.C. 103(c).

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 7 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 18 of this paper and include both attached replacement sheets and attached annotated sheets showing changes made. 11/02/2006 MBIZINES 00000031 10698232
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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.

An **Appendix** (Appendix A) including amended drawing figures is attached following page 28 of this paper.

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An **Appendix** (Appendix B) including copy of recorded assignment is attached following Appendix A of this paper.